

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Martin Dottling  
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRANSFERRING DATA WHEREIN A  
BIT RATE ADAPTATION MODEL IS SIGNALLED BETWEEN THE  
TRANSMITTER AND THE RECEIVER  
Art Unit: 2133  
Examiner: R. Stephen Dildine, Jr.  
Docket No.: 112740-975

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 26, 2006, Applicants herein respond as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this Response.